

County Board Finance & Audit Committee

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COUNTY BOARD BUDGET BLAST FOR OCTOBER 13, 2009

Milwaukee, WI – The Milwaukee County Board's Finance & Audit Committee, under the leadership of Supervisor Elizabeth M. Coggs, is holding public meetings throughout the month of October on the County Executive's 2010 Recommended County Budget. Click here to review the budget proposal. Each day, the seven-member Committee votes on a number of specific departments and items in the budget.



OPERATING BUDGETS

On Tuesday October 13, the **Milwaukee County Board's Finance & Audit Committee** voted 6-1 (No Schmitt) to approve an amendment to the 2010 County Budget for the purchase and installation of a legislative workflow product to reduce the use of paper and greatly improve public transparency and accessibility.

The Committee also voted 6-0 to approve these items from the proposed 2010 Capital Improvement Budget:

Section 1 – Highways and Bridges (WH)

• WH010 County Highway Action Program (CHAP)

- WH020 Major Rehabilitation
- WH030 Bridge Replacement Program
- WH080 Bridge Rehabilitation Program

Section 2 – Mass Transit (WT)

- WT026 Bus Replacement Program
- WT027 Fare Box Renovation
- WT037 MCTS Maintenance Garage Parking Lot Resurfacing
- WT040 New Annunciators
- WT044 Replace Roof at FDL Maint
- WT045 Replace Bus Vacuum at FDL Garage

Section 3 – Airports (WA)

- WA022 GMIA Abrasive Storage Building
- WA064 GMIA Phase II Mitigation Program
- WA072 LJT LJT R/W & TW Rehabilitation
- WA094 GMIA Runway Safety Area Improvements NEPA Compliance
- WA096 GMIA Parking Structure Relighting
- WA122 GMIA Airfield Pavement Rehabilitation
- WA123 GMIA Runway Safety Improvements
- WA125 GMIA Security & Wildlife Deterrent Perimeter Fencing
- WA135 GMIA Runways 1L-19R & 7R-25L Intersect Repave Study
- WA136 LJT Terminal Parking Lot Repaying & Relighting
- WA142 LJT Runway 15L 33R Extension
- WA148 GMIA Fleet Maintenance Expansion
- WA149 GMIA Snow Equipment Storage Building
- WA151 GMIA Part 150 Study Noise Monitor System
- WA152 GMIA Part 150 Study Vacant Land Acquisition
- WA157 GMIA Gate D52 Modifications
- WA158 GMIA Deicer Pads
- WA160 GMIA Narrowband Conversion

Section 4 – Environmental Services (WV)

- WV012 Pond and Lagoon Demonstration Projects
- WV014 Dretzka Park Groundwater and Soil Remediation
- WV016 NR216 Stormwater TSS Controls

Section 5- Parks, Recreation and Culture (WP)

- WP062 Brown Deer Golf Course Cart Paths
- WP069 Countywide Play Area Redevelopment Program
- WP129 Athletic Fields and Courts
- WP131 Oak Leaf Trail Improvements
- WP132 Mitchell Park Domes Improvements
- WP167 Parks Countywide Restroom Renovations
- WP171 Pool Liners Countywide
- WP172 Parks Infrastructure Improvements

Section 6- Museum (WM)

- WM003 Electrical Distribution Replacement
- WM004 Museum Infrastructure Improvements
- WM005 Museum Air Handling and Piping Replacement

Section 7 – Zoo (WZ)

- WZ014 Small Mammal Building HVAC Replacement
- WZ037 Zoo Terrace Renovations
- WZ039 Zoomobile Replacement
- WZ040 Polor Bear & Seal Exhibit Shade Structure
- WZ058 Winter Quarters Barn Renovation

The Finance & Audit Committee voted to <u>lay over</u> the following items from the proposed 2010 Capital Improvement Budget until later in the budget process:

Section 2 – Mass Transit (WT)

• WT046 Bus Rapid Transit – Wisconsin Ave

Section 5- Parks, Recreation and Culture (WP)

- WP165 South Side Family Aquatic Center
- WP173 Hoyt Park Aquatic Center
- WP174 Major Maintenance
- WP175 Holler Park Splash Pad
- WP176 Jackson Park Splash Pad
- WP177 Kosciuszko Splash Pad

The Committee will continue its meetings throughout the month of October in Room 203-R of the Milwaukee County Courthouse. The next meeting is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 14th.

<u>Click here to access the 2010 budget meeting schedule</u> (to view upcoming items for consideration)

<u>Click here to listen to live audio during the meetings</u> (available only while meetings are in progress)

The County Board of Supervisors, under the leadership of Chairman Lee Holloway, will adopt the County's 2010 Budget on Monday, November 9 at 8:30 a.m. in Room 200 of the Milwaukee County Courthouse.

The County Board's annual Public Hearing on the County Executive's 2010 Recommended Budget is scheduled for 7 p.m. Monday, November 2, 2009, at the Washington Park Senior Center.